

1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
2 DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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4 MICHAEL WILLIAMS,
5 Plaintiff,

6 vs.

7 MARKS, et al.,
8 Defendants.
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Case No.: 3:17-cv-00355-MMD-WGC

REFERRAL TO PRO BONO PROGRAM

10 This case is referred to the Pro Bono Program ("Program") adopted in General Order 2019-07 for
11 the purpose of screening for financial eligibility (if necessary) and identifying counsel willing to be
12 appointed as pro bono counsel for Michael Williams. The scope of appointment will be for the limited
13 purpose of representing Plaintiff Williams with respect to the interpretation of Nevada Department of
14 Corrections Administrative Regulation (AR) 639 and the provisions therein pertaining to (1) whether an
15 inmate who is personally involved in a civil rights lawsuit directly involving medical issues may possess
16 copies of the inmate's medical records relevant to the lawsuit's medical issues [AR 639.02(8)], and
17 (2) whether an inmate involved in such litigation, if indigent, will be provided copies of such relevant
18 records [AR 639.02(7)(c)]. By referring this case to the Program, the Court is not expressing an opinion
19 as to the merits of the case or the issues identified above. Accordingly,

20 **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that this case is referred to the Pro Bono Program for appointment
21 of counsel for the purposes identified herein.

22 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Clerk forwards this order to the Pro Bono Liaison.

23 DATED: December 6, 2019.

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25 WILLIAM G. COBB
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE